- 111. The bailiff shall be entitled to and shall receive the same fees for making distress or levy for taxes as are allowed County collectors, and for making arrests or serving process for violations of any law or any ordinance of the Town Commissioners, he shall receive the same fees as are allowed constables for similar services; and should the bailiff wilfully fail to discharge any of the duties of his office he may in addition to the remedy on his bond be fined by the Town Commissioners in their discretion, not exceeding ten dollars for any one offence, for the payment of which fine his bond shall be liable and responsible.
- 112. The president shall preside at all meetings of the Town Commissioners and he shall have all the power of a Justice of the Peace for the collecting and recovering of fines and penalties and the committing of offenders for violations of law within the corporate limits of said town, or of any ordinance duly passed and enacted by said Town Commissioners; and an appeal from his decision and judgment in any case may be taken to the Circuit Court for Charles County, which shall hear and determine the matter as upon appeals from justices of peace; provided, the party aggrieved by such decision and judgment give bond, with sureties approved by the president in double the amount of the judgment and cost against him.
- The justices of peace for Charles County residing for the time in the Town of La Plata are hereby declared to be the conservators of the peace of the town, and it shall be their duty to order the arrest of any person breaking the peace of the town or disturbing the quiet and order thereof, or violating any of the ordinances made and passed by the Town Commissioners for securing the safety of the property or persons of the inhabitants of the town; and upon complaint being made under oath before any such justice of the peace of the violation of any ordinance of the Town of La Plata he shall forthwith issue process against the offender in the name of the Town Commissioners of La Plata to recover the fine or penalty imposed for the violation of such ordinance and may hear and determine the matter as in other cases arising under the laws of this state in which he has jurisdiction, and shall receive the same fees therefor.
- 114. All fines and penalties as well as all taxes collected under the provisions of this act, shall be collected in the name of and for the use of the Town Commissioners of La Plata, who shall expend the same as in their judgment they may deem best for the purposes of the corporation.